

# Individual Membership Application

american **CAMP** association®  
www.ACAcamps.org/membership

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## ► Individual Membership Information

Check one:  Mr.  Ms.  Mrs.  Dr.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
First MI Last Nickname

### Home Address

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Which is your preferred mailing address?  Home  Organization

Primary E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## ► Organization

Camp  School  Business  Organization

Organization Name \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

### Organizational Affiliation

If you are affiliated with an organization, please indicate which type.

Agency  Independent/for-profit

Government  Independent/nonprofit

Religious  No Affiliation

Other \_\_\_\_\_

## ► Demographic Information

Gender:  Female  Male

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Education (check one)

High School Graduate  Master's Degree

Some College  Doctorate

Bachelor's Degree  MD

Some Post Graduate Work  JD

Ethnicity/Race\*

Asian  Native American/Alaskan Native

Black/African-American  Pacific Islander/Native Hawaiian

Hispanic/Latino  White/Caucasian

Multiracial  Prefer not to say

\*Choices based on U.S. Census Report

► **Dues**

**Individual Membership Dues** ..... \$200

Discounts are available if you are a . . .

**Visitor** ..... \$95 (\$105 discount)

To be eligible, you must be an individual trained and approved by ACA to conduct accreditation visits during the current year.

**Volunteer** ..... \$95 (\$105 discount)

To be eligible, you must volunteer for a youth-serving program.

**Educator** ..... \$95 (\$105 discount)

To be eligible, you must work professionally as a faculty/staff member at an academic institution.

**Expanded Learning Staff** ..... \$95 (\$105 discount)

To be eligible, you must work for a program that provides expanded learning opportunities (e.g., summer learning enrichment, afterschool, out-of-school-time programs).

**Retiree** ..... \$60 (\$140 discount)

To be eligible, you must be an individual who has been a member in good standing for five years preceding retirement from active employment with an ACA camp OR an individual who has reached retirement age of 65.

**Student** ..... \$35 (\$165 discount)

To be eligible, you must be a full-time student.

If you are a student, which school do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

► **Elective Dues**

**Not-for-Profit Council** ..... \$25

Open to any ACA member with a nonprofit affiliation. Offers a newsletter and kindred meetings.

**Religiously Affiliated Camps Council** ..... \$40

Open to any ACA member at a religiously affiliated camp. Offers newsletters, surveys, and networking.

► **Contributions — Thank you for your tax-deductible contribution.**

**Send a Child to Camp**

Children are our future. The skills learned and relationships fostered at camp are often life-changing stepping stones on the road to adulthood.

**Suggested Contribution** (tax-deductible): ..... \$100

**ACA's Because of Camp . . . ® Campaign**

ACA's public awareness campaign helps share camp's positive message with millions of families nationwide.

**Suggested Contribution** (tax-deductible): ..... \$50

**ACA Annual Fund**

ACA is the voice for bringing more children, youth, and adults into the camp experience. ACA's work goes beyond what your membership costs. Research, public awareness programs, technology, and government affairs work are supported by contributions to ACA's Annual Fund. With your help, we can spread the message that camp is an essential part of healthy human development.

**Suggested Contribution** (tax-deductible): ..... \$50

► **Member Service Options**

You can choose your preferred way of receiving *Camping Magazine* by checking the following options. Members with mailing addresses outside of the U.S. who wish to receive print editions will be charged a \$30 postage supplement.

**Camping Magazine**

ACA's premier resource publication, covering the latest ideas, research, and best practices related to child and youth development, health and safety, and program management, published six times a year.

Print Edition     Online Access Only

► **Remittance**

**Membership Dues** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Elective Dues** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Contributions**

**Send a Child to Camp**

\$100 Suggested Contribution (tax-deductible) ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Because of Camp . . . ®**

\$50 Suggested Contribution (tax-deductible) ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**ACA Annual Fund**

\$50 Suggested Contribution (tax-deductible) ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Member Service Options**

\$30 Postage Supplement (mailing addresses outside U.S.) ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Full payment is needed to process your application.

Dues are nonrefundable.

► **Verification** Please read and sign this section.

By submitting payment, I affirm that:

- The statements made on this application are correct;
- I meet the requirements for any membership discount I have chosen;
- I understand **dues are renewable annually (they cannot be refunded or transferred to another individual or to next year's services); and**
- For tax purposes, ACA fees may be deductible as a business expense, but are not deductible as a charitable contribution, with the exception of contributions to the Annual Fund.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(required to process)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

The American Camp Association is a voluntary association that reserves the right to decline membership for any or no reason.

► **Payment Method**

Check or Money Order Enclosed

VISA    MasterCard    Discover    AmEx   Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Card No. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ CVC\*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\* Card Verification Code — three- or four-digit card security code on back of card.

**Thank you for your application!**  
**If you are completing a print copy of the application,**  
**please mail it with your payment to the address below.**

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Martinsville, IN 46151-17902

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